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IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as shown in the following detailed claim listing. The detailed claim listing is intended to reflect cancellation of claim 5. The specific amendments to individual claims are detailed in the following detailed claim listing.

- 1. (Previously Presented) An image sheet, comprising: a base layer; a release layer that overlays the base layer; an adhesive layer consisting of one or more of PSA adhesive, water-activated adhesive, UV cured adhesive, electro-beam cured adhesive or other pressure sensitive adhesive that overlays the release layer; an image imparting polymer layer comprising an ethylene copolymer that overlays the adhesive layer; and a primer layer for receiving ink and an image created by ink wherein the adhesive layer is effective for transferring the image to a fibrous substrate without application of heat.
- 2. (Cancelled)
- 3. (Original) The image transfer sheet of claim 1 wherein the ethylene copolymer is ethylene methacrylate.
- 4. (Original) The image transfer sheet of claim 1 whrerein the ethylene copolymer is ethylene acrylic ester copolymer.
- 5. (Cancel) The image transfer sheet of claim 1 wherein the ethylene copolymer is ethylene acrylic ester copolymer.
- 6.-9. (Cancelled)
- 10. (Original) The image transfer sheet of claim 1 wherein the image imparting layer has adhesive properties.

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11. (Original) The image transfer sheet of claim 10 wherein the image imparting layer has release properties.

12. (Cancelled)

- 13. (Original) The image transfer sheet of claim 1 and further comprising a base layer that supports the adhesive layer and the image imparting layer.
- 14. (Previously Presented) The image transfer sheet of claim $\underline{1}$ [13] wherein the base layer and the adhesive layer are laminated.
- 15. (Previously Presented) The image transfer sheet of claim 1 wherein the image imparting layer further comprises coloring agents.
- 16. (Original) The image transfer sheet of claim 15 wherein the coloring agents change color with changes in temperature or with changes in pH.

17.-20. (Cancelled)